Dale Alan Hoops July 29, 1941 - April 11, 2008

Dale Alan Hoops, age 66, died April 11, 2008 at home after a very short battle with cancer. Dale was the son of Fred and Genevieve Hoops of Groton. He is survived by his wife of 42 years, Pat (Meisch) formerly from LaMoure ND, two sons; Dan of Minnesota, Bryan of Arizona and daughter Tami of Washington. He is also survived by his mother Genevieve, two brothers Don & Fred Jr., four grandsons; Jayson, Cole, Chase and Wyatt and one granddaughter; Kennedy as well as many aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, close friends and world class neighbors. Dale enjoyed fishing, playing black-jack and most of all, spending hours tinkering in his yard. Prior to Dale's death he was surrounded by family and close friends, reflecting on special memories of the past. After donating his body to research, no service will be held per Dale's request.